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Heraldic display at Cudgel War

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The deadline for the Dragon's Tale is the 25th of the month that is two months before the issue date (e.g., the December issue deadline is 25 October). Submissions for the Dragon's Tale should be sent to dragonstale@drachenwald.sca.org. Material should be sent in MS Word, RTF or plain text. Send photographs and artwork as separate files. Note that event announcements will be standardised in format. Original work (articles, photographs, artwork) must be accompanied by a permission form <http://www.drachenwald.sca.org/sites/default/files/permission.pdf> or the equivalent words in an email. Any copyrighted material by others must be accompanied by written permission from the original author(s). Please check the licence/usage terms of any clip-art used. The Dragon's Tale is set using Scribus 1.4.6 with Garamond, Arial, Arial Narrow. Lucida Handwriting and UBW Chancery typefaces in various sizes. The Dragon's Tale logo is in Tyrfinng Demo typeface.

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Events must be scheduled on the Kingdom Calendar before the event announcement is sent. This can be done by filling in the calendar event date request form on the Kingdom web page: <https://drachenwald.sca.org/events/calendar-add/> Announcements should then be written and can be updated directly to the web form or sent separately to the Chronicler.

Event announcements must include:

- Name of official SCA sponsoring group.
- The name (Society), and email address of the autocrat.
- Site street address (if no address, you must mention that in the announcement).
- Date of the event.
- Starting/stopping time of the event .
- Cost and Payment information (if there is a fee).

You are encouraged to include:

- Name and contact details of Marshal-in-Charge (if there is combat).
- Reservation deadlines, if any.
- URL for the full announcement
- Restrictions, if any (pets, open fires, alcohol) etc.
- Information about what the event is about
- Information about accommodation, meals etc.
- Other contacts (reservations, cook etc.)

Please read the following guidelines:

- Drachenwald Guidelines for Holding Official On-Line Business Meetings (<https://drachenwald.sca.org/offices/seneschal/files/covid19-online.pdf>)
- Drachenwald Covid-19 Event and Meeting Guidelines

Chronicler

Maerith aff Weselax

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Apologies to anybody I missed or misattributed.

Please send corrections to the Chronicler.

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Greetings from the Chronicler

Greetings from the Chronicler!

Time is flying fast and again I found myself in a situation where I wondered where did the time go? So many things to do and yet so little time. It is still well into July when I am writing this and Cudgel War and Aarnimetsä 30 years celebrations ongoing. I had the pleasure visiting the event on Sunday and I must admit I did not want to leave back to mundane life.

I am looking (with expert help) at improving the Dragon's Tale in the future so that it may serve better all of us. Let's see how that goes! In the meantime I'd very much like if you have any stories, articles or pictures to share, please send them to the Chronicler email and I'll see they get published when possible. All content is very much appreciated, my warm thanks to all those individuals who have sent their work to the Chronicler to be shared with the populace.

I would also like to gently remind everyone to act in time to ensure the officiality of events, so that all awards given will be official in that event and not needed to read out in another event's cour. Schedule you can see in below and also helpfull guidelines are in Drachenwald's website. But do not hesitate to reach out and ask in case you wonder something!

In Service to the Dream,



PS. A big thank you for Johan Erikinpoika Poukasta for the pictures. he gave for the issue. All taken at Cudgel War.



Submission deadlines

Be aware that the deadlines for publishing an event announcement, article or any such thing, is always the 25'th two months prior to the month of the issue.

The following is a simple list illustrating that:

Issue:	Deadline:
October 2024	August 25
November 2024	September 25
December 2024	October 25
January 2025	November 25
February 2025	December 25
March 2025	January 25
April 2025	February 25
May 2025	March 25
June 2025	April 25
July 2025	May 25
August 2025	June 25
September 2025	July 25

Court Reports

Double Wars XXXV 7 May 2024 - Atte mark

Ruling Royals: **Stigot & Lofnheiðr**
Court Herald: *Dóroúfr Blót-Úlfsson*

Ordo Hirundinis

Estrid of Nordmark - scroll given,

Orden des Lindquistringes

Jon Fitz John - scroll given (Lady Hedwig Webersdotter)

Ordo Alae

Roland Santiago: Ordo Alae, scroll given (Mestari Kerttu Katariinantytär Roisko)

The Order of the Pelican

Gele Pechplumin - scroll given (Master Richard of Salesberie), token given

Double Wars XXXV 6 May 2024 - Atte mark

Ruling Royals: **Gäddvard Lejonbringa, Eila de Valois of Nordmark**
Court Herald: ?

AoA

Quila - scroll given (Lia de Thornegge), no token

Double Wars XXXV 9 May 2024 - Atte mark

Ruling Royals: **Gäddvard Lejonbringa, Eila de Valois of Nordmark**
Court Herald: ?

Saladins ring

Padraig Gliadrach O'Ceallaigh - scroll given (Ylva Lagerström), no token

Ljusordern

Lucia la Rossa - scroll given (Sigrid Tunberg), token given

Double Wars XXXV 10 May 2024 - Atte mark

Ruling Royals: **Gäddvard Lejonbringa, Eila de Valois of Nordmark**
Court Herald: ?

Ljusordern

Ragnhild Jaegerhorn - scroll not given (Lova Hammarberg), token given

AoA

Anna GeddaAoA, scroll not given, no token
Asbjörn LångeAoA, scroll not given, no token
Freki från Atte markAoA, scroll not given, no token
Aina SteinakastirAoA, scroll not given, no token

Karneol
Löghammar Karneol, scroll given (Ylva Lagerström), token given

Rajataverna / Gränstavernan 2024 18 May 2024 - Torna

Ruling Royals: **Baroness Elzebeth of Aarnimetsa**
Court Herald: *Magdalen Yrjänäntytär*

Yellow Marshlight

Eino Karjalainen - no scroll, token given

St Bede's Fair 26 May 2024 - Insulae Draconis

Ruling Royals: **Princess Jahanara Suren & Prince Roland of Follifoote of Insulae Draconis**
Court Herald: *Shannon of Honor Hill*

Order of the Fox

Lord John Yarrowe - scroll given (I don't remember the name), not sure if a token was given

Order of Ffraid

Lady Joanne Yarrowe - scroll given (Lord John Yarrowe from Flintheath), token given

Order of the Silver Martlet

Lady Áfriðr Eiríksdóttir - scroll given (Lord John Yarrowe from Flintheath), not sure if a token was given

Writ of Thanks

Their Excellencies Eularia Trewe and Alexandre d'Avignon - scroll given (Her Excellency Euphrosyne Eirenikina), no token

St Bede's Fair 25 May 2024 - Insulae Draconis

Ruling Royals: **Roland and Jahanara of Insulae Draconis**
Court Herald: *Alexandre d'Avigné*

Silver Martlet

Aðisla Arnulfsdóttir - scroll given (Euphrosyne Eirenikina), token given
Euphrosyne Eirenikina: Silver Martlet, scroll given (Maredudd ap Gwylim), token given
Amy of Osgoldcross: Silver Marlet, no scroll, token given

Award of Arms

Phil of Flintheath called Renart: Award of Arms, scroll given, no token

Double Wars XXXV 9 May 2024 - Atte mark

Ruling Royals: **Stigot & Lofnheiðr**
Court Herald: *Agnes Boncuer*

AoA

Jora of Knight's CrossingAoA, no scroll, no token

Ordo Hirundinis

Elsa Snakenborg - scroll given (Saane Solling Fuchs), no token

Dragon's Bowl

Elisabeth Nilsson Dragon's Bowl, scroll given (Margareta Arvidsdotter), no token

Ordo Alae

Vitus Polonius - scroll given (Illumination by Herr Stig rhenhierta and calligraphy by Countess Anna), token given

**Midsummer Coronation 2024
15 Jun 2024 - Nordmark**

Ruling Royals: **William and Isabetta**

Court Herald: *Gilliam Blackburn*

Panache

Harald Krake - scroll given (Countess Agnes Odygd), no token

Panache

Beatrix de Lyme Regis - scroll created (Lia de Thornegge), no token

Druda Uddormsdotter Panache, scroll created (noble Sabine Solling Fuchs), no token

Ordo Hirundinis

Helwig Ulfsson - no scroll given, no token

**Midsummer Coronation 2024
15 Jun 2024 - Nordmark**

Ruling Royals: **William & Isabetta**

Court Herald: ?

County

Lofnheiðr Halvarsdotter - scroll given (Vendela af Ekese), token given

Order of the Rose

Lofnheiðr Halvarsdotter - scroll given (Vendela af Ekese), token given

Patent of Arms

Lofnheiðr Halvarsdotter - scroll given (Vendela af Ekese), token given

County

Stigot Eke af Haapsalu - scroll given (Vendela af Ekese), token given

**Majgreve - May Count
25 May 2024 - Holmrike**

Ruling Royals: **Gäddvard Lejonbringa of Nordmark**

Court Herald: ???

Gyllene Bandet

Siobhán inghean uí Liatháin - scroll not given, token given

Midsummer Coronation 2024

15 Jun 2024 - Nordmark

Ruling Royals: **Prince Gäddvard Lejonbringa, Princess Eila de Valois of Nordmark**

Court Herald: ?

Nordmarks Karneol

Peder Klingrodenordmarks Karneol, scroll not given, token given

Vita portens Väktare

Maximiliaen Alexandre De Wildt - scroll not given, token given



Kingdom Officer Terms of Office

Greater Officer	Start of next term of office	Changeover event
Seneschal	Monday 23 June 2025	Midsummer Coronation
Herald (Schwarzdrachen)	Monday 17 June 2024	Midsummer Coronation
Earl Marshal	Monday 5 January 2026	Twelfth Night Coronation
Minister of Arts and Sciences	Monday 5 January 2026	Twelfth Night Coronation
Chancellor of the Exchequer	Monday 17 June 2024	Midsummer Coronation
Chronicler	Monday 23 June 2025	Midsummer Coronation
Signet Clerk	Monday 5 January 2026	Twelfth Night Coronation
Web Minister	Monday 6 January 2025	Twelfth Night Coronation
Lesser Officer	Start of next term of office	Changeover event
Chatelaine	Monday 5 January 2026	Twelfth Night Coronation
Captain-General of Archers	Monday 17 June 2024	Midsummer Coronation
Marshal of Fence	Monday 23 June 2025	Midsummer Coronation
University Chancellor	Monday 6 January 2025	Twelfth Night Coronation
Social Media Officer	Monday 23 June 2025	Midsummer Coronation

Event bid list

Event	Preferred/Accepted Date	Region	Host	Bids Due	Bids
Spring Crown Tournament	5-7 April 2024	Insulae Draconis	Dun in Mara	Accepted	1
Midsummer Coronation	14-16 June 2024	Northern Region	Gyllengran	Accepted	1
Autumn Crown Tournament	18-20 October 2024	Central	Polderslot	Accepted	1
Kingdom University	8-10 November 2024	Any	Gotvik	Accepted	1
12th Night Coronation	3-5 January 2025	Insulae Draconis	Eplaheimr	Accepted	1
Spring Crown Tournament	4-6 April 2025	Northern Region		10 Jul 2024	0
Midsummer Coronation	20-22 June 2025	Central		10 Sep 2024	0
Autumn Crown Tournament	10-12 October 2025	Insulae Draconis		10 Jan 2025	1
Kingdom University	7-9 November 2025	Any		10 Feb 2025	0

Cancelled Events

Event Country	Calendar Date	Region
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Event Announcements

Drachenwald Camp at Pennsic 51 27 July - 10 August 2024 Drachenwald - USA

Drachenwald Royal Camp is open to everyone living in Drachenwald and travelling to Pennsic this year.

Site

Cooper's lake campground
This is a camping only event. See our facebook group for more info.
The site opens at 09:00 and closes at 11:00

Cost

Free (Pennsic Prices are listed on pennsicwar.org and must be paid separately)

Event Steward:

Clara Brandkvist (Isabetta del Verde)
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clara@brandkvist.com

Ormþing LIX - Couronne de Caldicot 15 - 19 August 2024 Insulae Draconis - Wales (UK)

Ormþing - Insulae Draconis Summer Event and Coronet Tourney.

Site

Caldicot Castle, Church Rd, Caldicot, Wales, NP26 4HU
<https://sites.google.com/insulaedraconis.org/ormping-lix/information>
The site opens at 12:00 and closes at 14:00

Cost

Please note that everyone MUST Pre-Register for this event in order to attend. Due to our Insurance policies, Any Un-booked attendance is not permitted.

Adults:

Full event Ticket: Non Members £100.00
Full event Ticket: Members £90.00
Full event Ticket: Non Members with Concession £70.00
Full event Ticket: Members with Concession £60.00
Staying Off-Site: Non Members £60.00
Staying Off-Site: Members £50.00
Staying Off-Site: Non Members with Concession £50.00
Staying Off-Site: Members with Concession £40.00
Single Day/Overnight: Non Members

£55.00

Single Day/Overnight: Members £50.00

Single Day/Overnight: Non Members with Concession £50.00

Single Day/Overnight: Members with Concession £45.00

Single Day: Non Members £35.00

Single Day: Members £30.00

Single Day: Non Members with

Concession £30.00

Single Day: Members with Concession £25.00

Children:

Anyone under the age of 18 at the time of booking. Free of Charge.

Concessions available for:

OAPs, Disabled, Unwaged, Student

Payment information will be provided after registration, Foreign guests can pay at the door

Due to current UK and Ireland insurance policies, we must submit our entire guest list to our insurer one week before the event. There will therefore be no walk-ins, or bookings taken after the 7th August 2024.

Event Steward:

Mick McManis(Yannick of Normandy)
+44 7970 213895
[id-summer-event-steward@insulaedraconis.org](mailto:mid-summer-event-steward@insulaedraconis.org)

Marshal in Charge:

Alexander of Derlington

Food Coordinator:

OptiIn Feast tickets will be on-sale when bookings open.

Furstetornering - Nordmark coronet tourney

30 August - 01 September 2024

Holmrike - Sweden

A camping event between Holmrike and Aros (Stockholm and Uppsala). Come see who will be the next prince and princess of Nordmark. Or come participate in the tournament and it may be you who wins.

Site

Skepptuna bygdegård, i närheten av Arlanda flygplats,
address: Skepptuna 325, 195 93 Märsta
A community hall in the countryside with a large hall for court and feast. There are some smaller space for very limited crash space. Next to the hall is a large soccer field where the majority of the participants can camp and the tournament will be held. Showers and sauna indoors.
The site opens at 18:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Adult, sleep on site 450SEK
Adult, daypass 375SEK
Youth (6-16 years), sleep on site 250SEK
Youth (6-16 years), daypass 175SEK
Child (0-5 years), 10SEK
Payment information will be provided after registration

Event Steward:

Jonas Evertsson (Edricus filius Offaeus)
+46707420136
furstetornering@nordmark.org

Marshal in Charge:

Stigot Eke

Food Coordinator:

Celemon (feast cook), others making other meals

Taistelulajien treenileiri II (Training Camp for martial arts II)

06 - 08 September 2024

Kaarnemaa - Finland

Everyone interested in armoured combat, archery, rapier fencing or campfire cooking - Come and spend a weekend practicing or cooking and having fun.

Site

Syvälähdentie 245, 44260 Äänekoski

The camp center, Kangaslammen leirikeskus, has a main building with a kitchen and a dining room. There is accommodation for 36 people (in 5 cottages) and a separate toilet building and of course a sauna. It is also possible to camp in the area.
Bring your own pillow, blanket and bedding!

The site opens at 18:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

The event fee is €50 for SCA / SKA members and €55 for others.
Foreign guests can pay at the door

Information will be available after registration.

The participation fee must be paid by August 23rd. After that, we add a €5 late fee to the price. Also cancellations must be made by August 23rd.

Event Steward:

Sari Ojala(Saara Pöksyläinen)
+358407785893
sariojalan@gmail.com

Marshal in Charge:

Archery: Henrikkus Pöksyläinen, Fencing: Gilbert Blackthorn, Heavy Fighting: is not known yet

Food Coordinator:

Magdalen Yrjänäntytär and Henrikkus Pöksyläinen

Herald in Charge:

The Herald in charge isn't known yet.

Baroness' tropical bash

7 September 2024

Eplaheimr - Ireland

A tropical themed knees up, with friendly competitions and much silliness to see who will be crowned the king and queen of whimsy.

The competition will allow all participants to enter into all of the following events, (in a spirit of fun and light-heartedness).

- Archery shoot of the pineapple.
- Coconut shy
- Poi twirling
- Best hula hoop dancer
- make and wear the flower crown, materials will be supplied.
- Come dressed in your best tropical adaptation of your existing garb-including headwear
- tropical themed cocktail, bring a cocktail of your own invention, this can be with or without alcohol.
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Points will be given for participation, for

winner and for the most entertaining entry.

Mid afternoon feast will be potluck,

Schedule:

Arrive 10am onwards for Tea, coffee and scones.

Competitions start at 11am

Feast with sampling of cocktails.

Baronial court to announce and crown the big Kahuna

Bardic circle competition

Please note: there will be missions at this event for freelance assassins.

Jim Kirwan Scout Hall is a large Scout Hall. It is extremely convenient to Clara Train station which is on the main Dublin to Galway and Dublin to Athlone train line

Site

Jim Kirwan Scout Hall, Clara, County Offaly, Ireland
<https://www.clarascouts.com/>
The site opens at 10:00 and closes at 20:00

Cost

Members €20, non-members €25
unwaged/student
Members: €15 - Non members: €20
Under 18s
Members: Free - Non members: €5
Extra Charges are for insurance coverage for non members. Membership (only 15 STG/year) means you get to attend all events in a 12-month at the reduced membership prices and get covered by insurance.

Payments can be made on site, Payment will be made by fienta at time of booking.
Link to follow

Event Steward:

Edel Chadwick (Baroness Adele De Chadwykke)
0857393333
chadwykke@gmail.com

Marshal in Charge:

There will not be fighting at this event.

Food Coordinator:

The food coordinator is not known yet.

Herald in Charge:

The Herald in charge isn't known yet.

Baht 'at Bardic

20 - 22 September 2024

Pontalarch - United Kingdom

A weekend of bardic focused delights in the wilds of North Yorkshire. Singing, music, dancing, acting.

Site

Beamsley Project Charitable Trust,
Harrogate Road, Hazlewood, Skipton,
North Yorkshire, BD23 6JA
The site opens at 17:00 and closes at 13:00

Cost

Non-members
bed, bardic, food = £98
Bardic and food = £48

Members

bed, bardic, food = £95
Bardic and food = £45

The price for bed, bardic and food includes: a bed in a dorm of no more than 4 people (a single bed each) with bedding included, several very clean wc's, shower rooms and a bath (towels also provided) Five meals (travellers fayre, Saturday breakfast, feast, supper, Sunday breakfast) also tea, coffee, water/squash in the 'quiet room'/dining room.
Payment information will be provided after registration. There will be the option to pay in two installments

Event Steward:

Amy Wagstaff-Weston (Amy of Osgoldcross)
07538179587
steward.babtatbardic@gmail.com

Deputy Event Steward & Class Coordinator

Henric van den Castele

Marshal in Charge:

There will not be fighting at this event.

Food Coordinator:

Alexandre d'Avignon

Bread & Barley Bash 20 - 22 September 2024 Löghammar - Sweden

Come join the Shire of Löghammar for a weekend of B's on September 20-22, 2024 at Haraker's bygdegård, Skultuna. Some information about the event site can be found here: <https://haraker.se/>

We aim for a relaxed weekend among friends; baking bread in a wood fired oven, making butter the medieval way, and using barley to brew a little beer in an as medieval way as we can.

The event has a cap of 60, and we estimate 25 can stay on site. On-site sleeping spots will go to the first 25 paid spots, all others will need to make their own arrangements for lodgings.

For those wanting an on-site sleeping spot: Shortly after you have registered, you will

receive notice that you have an on-site spot and will need to make your payment for the event within 2 weeks of registration or the spot will need to go to the next person in line. For those who secure a spot on site, bring all you need to sleep on the floor of a "bygdegård".

For local recommendations on where to stay, please reach out to Agnes Odygd at [Valpfan \(at\) gmail \(dot\) com](mailto:Valpfan(at)gmail(dot)com).

Unfortunately, the site is not well equipped for handicapped persons. If you want to attend and have mobility issues, please contact us and we can discuss the specifics.

Site

Harakers Prästgård 4, 726 91 Skultuna, Sverige
The site opens at 18:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Whole weekend visitors (staying on-site): 375 SEK
Whole weekend visitors (staying off-site): 250 SEK
Day visitors not staying for feast (lunch included): 100 SEK

Payment information will be provided after registration

Event Steward:

Diane Hedström (Duchess Siobhán inghean uí Liatháin)
+46723711407
duchesssiobhan@gmail.com

Co-Autocrate:

Agnes Odygd Jarlkona

Marshal in Charge:

The marshal is not known yet.

Food Coordinator:

The Honorable Lord Torleif Vidfari & Lady Emlyn Ruby

Herald in Charge:

We don't expect to need a herald for this event.

Michaelmas Fair 27 - 29 September 2024 West Dragonshire - England, United Kingdom

We have been invited to participate in the Hospital of St. Cross annual Michaelmas Fair; participating helps ensure we can obtain the site for future Pilgrimages. We can have fighting and A&S. We will be able to make it a weekend event and camp/crash, although the Fair (for the public) itself is ONLY Saturday, 28th September. At other times, the public will not be present.

Site

Hospital of St. Cross St Cross Back St, Winchester SO23 9SD
The Hospital of St. Cross is a medieval/Tudor site, with various buildings and green space. More details regarding camping locations to come. Fighting will be in the centre green.
The site opens at 10:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

This is a public demonstration as part of a St Cross event. There is no event fee.

Event Steward:

Ian Walden (Raphe Cuthbert)
07516147457
raphe@doc2prod.co.uk

Parasol War VII 27 - 29 September 2024 Ad Flumen Caerulum - Austria

The Parasol War started as a War between the Shire of Ad Flumen Caerulum and the Barony of Knights Crossing about a sunshade (Parasol).

In memoriam of that war, we still celebrate every other year by hosting a cosy event in a real castle with heavy fighting (exciting battle scenarios), fencing, dancing and A+S activities and of course an amazing feast :-)

Come join us at Parasol War VII

Site

Pielachstraße 8, 3382 Albrechtsberg an der Pielach, Austria
A cosy castle with dorms and a few private rooms.
The site opens at 17:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Adults full weekend: 70 eur
Kids between 6 and 12 years full event: 45 eur
Daytripper: 45 eur

Feast is included
Payment information will be provided after registration, Guests from non-EU countries can pay at the gate

Event Steward:

Maries Welt (Kyne von dem Steren)
+4369910564095
rot.zinnober@gmail.com

Marshal in Charge:

Flose Thordson

Food Coordinator:

Gunnhild zu Brunswiek und Volker Eisvogel zu Nortorf

Herald in Charge:

The Herald in charge isn't known yet

Champions of Lough Devnaree XVII 27 - 29 September 2024 Dun in Mara - Ireland

Pray Attend! Lords, Ladies, Good Gentles
All, Members of the Populace of Lough
Devnaree and shores far and wide;
Will you bring your sword, your rapier,
your bow, or your cunning art and science
skills in pursuit of becoming one of the
next Champions of Lough Devnaree!?

The Shire of Dun in Mara welcomes you
to a weekend full of competition and
fellowship. We will host tournaments for
Armoured Combat, Fencing, Archery, and
Arts and Sciences.

The event will occur from 18:00 on Friday
27 until 14:00 on Sunday 28 September.
Dun in Mara cancellation policy applies.
Our kitchens will provide Traveler's Fare
on Friday evening. Breakfast, Lunch and
Feast will be served on Saturday, and
Breakfast on Sunday.

Site Address:

Jim Kirwan Scout Hall
Clara
Co. Offaly
R35 HT67

Site Information:

The Site allows for camping and crash
space. No bedding or sheets will be
provided.

Schedule

To be determined.
Will include Armoured Combat, Archery,
Fencing, and Arts and Sciences.

Arts and Sciences competition

To be determined.

Costs and food:

Full weekend with meals and crash space
or camping:

Full Event – Member ticket: 25€
Day Trip – Member ticket: 20€
Full Event – Non-Member: 37€
Day Trip – Non-member: 24€

Site

Jim Kirwan Scout Hall Clara Co. Offaly
R35 HT67
<https://www.clarascouts.com/>
The site opens at 18:00 and closes at 14:00

Cost

Full weekend with meals and crash space
or camping:
Full Event – Member ticket: 25€
Day Trip – Member ticket: 20€
Full Event – Non-Member: 37€
Day Trip – Non-member: 24€
Booking Link: <https://fienta.com/champion>
Bookings close on 19 September

Event Steward:

Alays de Lunel (Claudia Barron)
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Marshal in Charge:

Aodhan dha Cheist

Food Coordinator:

Erin Volya

Herald in Charge:

The Herald in charge isn't known yet.

Deputy Steward, Gwerful an Fili

Autumndance 04 - 06 October 2024 Uma - Sweden

Uma invites you all to traditional
Autumndance with dance workshops, ball
and banquet!
Registration opens the 1st of June.
More info coming soon!

Site

Umeå-brattby 70, Brattby bygdegård,
Umeå
[located a bit outside Umeå city]
To get to the site by car, and for map with
traffic flow for bus, links will be coming
later on website.

Transport:

If you travel from afar, the easiest way to
get to Umeå and then the event site, is to
travel with train to Umeå C or by plane to
Umeå airport.
If you need help with transport from/to
Umeå bus station or Umeå airport, please
select this option when you sign up.
Remember to let us know approximate
time/date, preferably at least a day in
advance before you need transport.
Bus line 15 or 31 passes by the bus stop,
Brattby Ö E12, that is located very near
the Bygdegård. You just go downwards
from the road, and the you see the
Bygdegård on the left side. On the site
tabussen.nu you can find bus traffic info.
Remember to tick "Regionalt i
Västerbotten" (Regional in Västerbotten
[county]) as a pre-selected choice at the
top of the page before you do a search.

Sleeping arrangements:

Due to updated fire safety regulations the
max number of overnighters in the
premises i.e. sleeping onsite is 30. But feel
very free to bring a tent or trailer! Tent
hooks need to be max 20-30 cm long.
Floorspace is available in the building
(there is usually a more quiet sleeping
room, and one for those that go to bed a
bit later). Don't forget to bring mattress,
pillow, duvet, bed linen and other things!
Toilets and shower available on-site.

Max capacity: Max number of participants:
55 people. If more signed up, a waiting list
will be created.

Food & drink: Evening snack Friday
evening, breakfast, lunch, afternoon fika
and banquet Saturday, as well as breakfast
Sunday are included in the cost. Alcohol is
allowed on site. Don't forget to list
allergies or other special dietary
requirements when you sign up!

Other:

Please don't bring products/clothing with
strong scent/perfume! But please do bring
your own dishtowel (and larger towel(s) if
planning to shower). The site opens at
17:00 and closes at 00:00

Cost

Preliminary cost - whole weekend
400 SEK - adult SCA member (18+ years)
450 SEK - adult non SCA member (18+
years)
300 SEK - student/low income
200 SEK - youth (13-17 years)
0 SEK - child (0-12 years)
Preliminary cost - daypass Saturday
150 SEK (+18 years)
100 SEK (below 18 years)
0 SEK (below 13 years)
Payments can be made on site, Payment
information will be provided after
registration, Foreign guests can pay at the
door Swish, bank transfer, or cash on-site.
Will be updated once registration opens.
NB: Depending on event budget outcome,
you will receive a half or full refund if you
have to cancel participation at the latest on
the 4th of October.

Event Steward:

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October Crown Tournament 2024 18 - 20 October 2024 Polderslot - Netherlands

Come join us October 18-20 2024 as Their
Majesties seek Heirs to the Black Dragon
thrones! More info to follow

Site

Ons Thuis, Oostappensedijk 32, 5724 PM
Ommel
The site opens at 18:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Adult/Teen (bed, camping, or crash space)
- 65 eur
Child 5-12 (bed, camping, or crash space) -
45 eur
Child <5 (bed, camping, or crash space) -
30 eur
Daytrippers (adults) - 30 eur
Daytrippers (up to and incl age 12) - 15
eur
There will also be a very limited number

of spots available in small bedrooms for 90 eur per person, regardless of age
Payment information will be provided after registration

Event Stewards:

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Norrskensbard Tävlningen
25 - 27 October 2024
Reengarda - Sweden

This year's Norrskensbard contest will be held at the beautiful Forsamlingshemmet in Lövånger, Sweden. About 35 minutes south of Skellefteå, and an hour north of Umeå.

This year the banquet will be potluck. More details will follow.

Site

Kungsvägen 27, 932 61 Lövånger

The Forsamlingshemmet is a beautiful old timber house, owned by the church in Sweden, and located at the edge of Lövånger's Medieval church village. The church requests that we do not drink alcohol on site.

The site opens at 16:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Adults: 150 kr and a contribution to the potluck feast (or 300 kr without a contribution to the feast)

Child (5-15 years old): 75 kr (a contribution to the feast is still encouraged if the child would like to do so, but not required if attending with adults who are contributing)

Small child (< 5 years): free

Foreign guests can pay at the door

Payment info provided after registration

Event Steward:

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Marshal in Charge:

There will not be fighting at this event.

Food Coordinator:

This will probably be run with a potluck feast in several courses. Details to follow.

Bring out your Dead - Resurrection
01 - 03 November 2024
Knights Crossing - Germany

The year is coming to its dark season. Ghosts and mythical creatures roam the forests of northern Knight's Crossing. But in a small camp, travelers gather to celebrate together against the night and to properly end the year. They bring with them long-lost rarities and captivating stories. Come by and bring out your dead!

Site

Jugendfreizeitanlage Meudelfitz Bleckeder Landstraße 29456 Hitzacker (Elbe)
Germany

We are staying in cozy little cabins (multiple people) deep in the woods of northern Germany. In the big main building there are two rooms where we sit, eat and enjoy ourselves. Outdoors is the wonderful forest and a camp fire place. More information and pictures can be found here (german): <https://jugendfreizeitanlage-meudelfitz.de/Anlage.html>

The site opens at 17:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Every package includes 2 nights and 5 meals!

Adult (16+): 69€

Kids (3-15): 59€

Shorties (0-2): free (no own bed)

Payment information will be provided after registration

Event Steward:

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Marshal in Charge:

Countess Cornelia

Food Coordinator:

Mistress Gunnhild and Lord Volker

Herald in Charge:

We don't expect to need a herald for this event.

Reservation Steward:

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Site Steward:

Baroness Katharina

Kingdom University
08 - 10 November 2024
Gotvik - Sweden

Site

Sörviksvägen 47, 443 45 Sjövik
The site opens at 18:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

All weekend 1040 SEK

Daypass 470 SEK

Children 0-3 years all weekend 0 SEK

Children 4-13 years all weekend 890 SEK

Children 0-3 years daypass 0 SEK

Children 4-13 years daypass 320 SEK

Payment information will be provided after registration

Event Steward:

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Medieval Dead

25 - 27 October 2024

Eplaheimr - Ireland

Come join us as the moon orbits the skies, where the spirits dance and visit. Where they hide in the shadows as we sit around the midnight fire. Explore the foods of the new world but less we forget the lands that celebrate this festival. We will taste the food of Ireland. Come play games, and join us as we entertain around the fire.

Site

Clara Scouts Den, Jim Kirwan Scouts Hall, The Island, Clara, Co Offaly, Ireland R35 HT 67

The site opens at 17:00 and closes at 14:00

Cost

Full weekend crash space Members € 40

non members € 45

Full weekend unwaged /student Members

€ 30 Non members €35

Day trip (including feast) Members €15

Non Members €20

Children under 12 are free

Payments can be made on site

Event Steward:

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Marshal in Charge:

The marshal is not known yet.

Food Coordinator:

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Herald in Charge:

The Herald in charge isn't known yet.

A&S and games coordinator Kytte of the Lake

12th Night Coronation - Corónú

Nollaig na mBan

10 - 12 January 2025

Eplaheimr - Ireland

The Barony of Eplaheimr is proud to

welcome all throughout the Kingdom to witness the glorious succession of the Dragon Thrones and the Crowning of the true heirs of Drachenwald. Come one and all to this joyful celebration!

Nollaig na mBan is the Irish name for 12th night - it means 'Women's Christmas'. We will also be celebrating the women in our Kingdom and in history over the weekend.

Site

Petersburg Outdoor Education Centre

Site is divided into the Centre - with larger bunk dormitories and shared bathrooms, and the House with small ensuite bunk rooms. The site provides sheets and pillows/cases, but no bedding. The site opens at 17:00 and closes at 12:00

Cost

Petersburg Centre

Adult full event, all food - €65

Adult Daytrip/offsite, all food - €50

Adult Daytrip/offsite, no Feast - €40

Child age 6 to 12, full event - €47

Child age 6 to 12, daytrip/offsite, all food - €30

Child age 6 to 12, daytrip/offsite, no feast - €25

Child age 5 and under, using bed - €16

(cost)

Child age 5 and under daytrip/offsite - Free

Petersburg House

Adult full event, all food - €85

Adult Daytrip/offsite, all food - €50

Adult Daytrip/offsite, no Feast - €40

Child age 6 to 12, full event - €65

Child age 6 to 12, daytrip/offsite, all food - €30

Child age 6 to 12, daytrip/offsite, no feast - €25

Child age 5 and under, using bed - €42

(cost)

Child age 5 and under daytrip/offsite - Free

Minors between the ages of 13 and 18 will be priced as adults.

Any non-members will be charge €5 extra per day

Payments can be made on site

Main payment portal will be online through Fienta. Booking is expected to open at the start of August

Event Steward:

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The William Blackfox Awards

Breetings, Good Gentles,

The Chroniclers of the Known World are producing wonderful publications that add so much to each canton, barony, and Kingdom, as well as our Society as a whole. Every group from the smallest shire to the biggest Kingdom brought forth so much information, entertainment, knowledge, and light; writers, artists, photographers, cartoonists, and others all working together to brighten our lives and increase our knowledge and awareness. There were so many wonderful articles, poems, short stories, and more.

Check out your newsletters! The William Blackfox Awards nominees were such a joy and privilege for me to go through. If you have not been reading your group newsletters, now is a good time to start! What you can learn may amaze you or may even pique your interest to try something new.

Also, please make your own contributions to your newsletters and you may someday see your name and work in this list. All Kingdom Chroniclers should encourage your group chroniclers to get your populace involved in showcasing their work. Baronial newsletters have no size limitations. You can publish art, stories, poetry, articles, anything and everything SCA related that would be of interest to the populace and be of help showing the talents of the people to a broader audience.

Recipients of this prestigious award will receive a Master William Blackfox token, a certificate, and the right to use the following in their newsletters with the Blackfox logo:

“Master William Blackfox Award Winner (or also, Commendation or nominee), [category], AS LV (57)”

Special thanks to my judges, Asta and Ceridwen, who assisted me in the judging of the A.S. 57 William Blackfox Awards nominations and choosing winners. There were some tough choices made.

And now, with no further ado, I present the Master William Blackfox Awards for A.S. 57! Well done, everyone!

With thanks,

Cecilia Blythe, OP
Society Chronicler

For space constraints this list has been shortened, to include only winners and any commendations/nominations to Drachenwald newsletters

Best Overall Newsletter

This does not necessarily mean the best-looking newsletter, but rather the newsletter which best meets the needs of the local group or guild for which it is published. It should accurately reflect the status of the group and be a valuable tool for growth and promotion of SCA goals and ideals. This title is awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.

Winner:

An Tir: The Jousting Squirrel, Canton of Akornebir; Chronicler: Cuthbert Weaver

Commendation:

Drachenwald: Baelfyr, Principality of Insuale Draconis; Chronicler: Lucrezia-Isabella di Freccia

Best Layout and Design

For the best-looking newsletter in balance and style. Awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.

Winner:

Artemesia: The Bronzehelm Watch, Barony of Bronzehelm; Chronicler: Colgrym of Avebury

Also Nominated:

Drachenwald: Aarniwalcea, Barony of Aarnimetsa; Chronicler: Johanna aff Hucka

Best Artwork

For artwork on cover or interior of the newsletter. Awarded to the newsletter and the artist.

Winner:

Ansteorra: Artist: Isaac Bane; “Invitation to Yule”; The Flamebearer, Barony of Wiesenfeuer; Chronicler: Gwenyvere Rose Foxe

Commendation:

Drachenwald: Artist: Mikael Rantzow; “Jarven rouva” (The Lady of the Lake); Aarniwalcea, Barony of Aarnimetsa; Chronicler: Johanna aff Hucka

Best Special Issue

For Arts & Sciences issues or other limited-focus issues of a geographic group (canton, shire, barony, etc.). Awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.

Winner:

Ealdormere: “Remembering Enid” - The Chronicle, Skraeling Althing; Chronicler: Colyne Stewart

Best Special Interest Newsletter

This category recognizes guild newsletters, research newsletters, and Arts & Science focus newsletters (such as lace-making). Awarded to the newsletter and the Chronicler.

Winner:

Æthelmearc: The Score, Minister of the List; Chronicler: Dame Olyf Moorcroft

Best Regular Feature

For cartoons, articles, columns, etc. which appear regularly in the particular newsletter. Awarded to the creator or feature writer and the newsletter.

Winner:

Artemesia: “Mangy Moose Tavern”, Author: Ambrose Norwich; The Moose Call, Barony of Arn Hold; Chronicler: Ambrose Norwich

Commendation:

Drachenwald: “The Writ and Record”, Author: Nycholas Eystleech; Baelfyr, Principality of Insuale Draconis; Chronicler: Lucrezia-Isabella di Freccia

Best Article

Recognizes excellence in articles appearing in a local newsletter. Awarded to the writer and the newsletter.

Winner:

Drachenwald: “Embroidered Book Covers”, Author: Mary Verch Thomas; Baelfyr, May 2022, Principality of Insulae Draconis

Best Poetry or Short Fiction

Recognizes the author of an outstanding poem or piece of short fiction. Awarded to the writer and the newsletter.

Winner:

Calontir: “Autumn Accolade”, Author: Shoshanah bas Nachman fun Magenza; The Barge, Q4 2022, Barony of Three Rivers; Chronicler: Shoshanah bas Nachman fun Magenza

Also Nominated:

Drachenwald: “Public and Private Faces of the Italian Condottiere II”, Author: Alessandra di Riario d’Aretino; Baelfyr, May 2022, Principality of Insulae Draconis; Chronicler: Lucrezia-Isabella di Freccia

Kingdom Chronicler’s Honorable Mentions

Nominations which didn’t fit into the above categories, yet are still deserving of recognition for their exceptional work and/ or dedication to producing the best possible newsletter for the local group served. Recognition of merit given to all of the individual nominees.

Nominated:

Drachenwald: The Annals of Eplaheimr, Barony of Eplaheimr; Chronicler: Susannah of York

KINGDOM NEWSLETTER CATEGORIES

Best Cover for a Kingdom Newsletter

Recognizes the creator of a piece provided for use as the cover of a kingdom newsletter. Awarded to the artist(s).

Winner:

Caid: The Crown Prints, “Their Royal Majesties, Adam Makandro and Staena Halfdanadottir”, August 2022; Artist: Valentine Martyn; Chronicler: Briana MacCabe

Also Nominated:

Drachenwald: Dragon’s Tale, January 2023; Artist: Sofia; Chronicler: Dafydd Myfyrgar

Best Written Contribution to a Kingdom Newsletter

Recognizes the author of an article, regular or special feature, poem, etc. provided for use by a kingdom newsletter. Awarded to the author.

Winner:

An Tir: Cormac Mor, “Heraldic Flags: Banners”, The Crier, April 2023; Chronicler: Kenryth filia Gerald

Also Nominated:

Drachenwald: Editors Alessandra de Riario, Henric vanden Castele, Svetoslav Sokolov, and Guy de Dinan, “Practical Drachenwald: Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion Panel”, Dragon’s Tale, August 2022; Chronicler: Dafydd Myfyrgar

Best Artistic Contribution to a Kingdom Newsletter

Recognizes the artist of artwork or photography used in the interior of a kingdom newsletter. Awarded to the artist(s).

Winner:

Ealdormere: Augusta Weyfare, “Marginal Mayhem”, Tidings, January 2023; Chronicler: Augusta Weyfare

Also Nominated:

Drachenwald: Agnes Odygd, “Order of the Panache for Marianne De Geer”, page 10, Dragon’s Tale, December 2022; Chronicler: Dafydd Myfyrgar



Aarnimetsä 30 years celebratory display

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July 2024

27- Drachenwald Camp at Pemsic 51 Drachenwald - USA

August 2024

-10 Drachenwald Camp at Pemsic 51 Drachenwald - USA Wales (UK)
 15-19 Ormping LIX - Couronne de Caldicot Insulae Draconis
 30- Furstetomring - Nordmark coronet touney Holmrike Sweden

September 2024

-01 Furstetomring - Nordmark coronet touney Holmrike Sweden
 6-8 Tatstelilajten treentleiri II (Training Camp for martial arts II) Kaarremaa Finland
 7 Baroness' tropical bash Eplahaimr Ireland
 20-22 Baht'at Bardic Pont Alarch UK
 20-22 Bread & Barley Bash Lóghannar Sweden 🏰
 27-29 Michaelmas Fair West Dragonshire UK
 27-29 Parasol War VII Ad Flumen Caelurum Austria
 27-29 Champions of Lough Devanaree XVII Dun in Mara Ireland

October 2024

04-06 Autumnndance Uma Sweden
 18-20 October Crown Tournament Polderslot Netherland 🏰
 25-27 Norrskensbard Tävlingen Reengarda Sweden

November 2024

01-03 Bring out your Dead - Resurrection Knights Crossing Germany
 08-10 Kingdom University Gotvik Sweden
 25-27 Medieval Dead Eplahaimr Ireland

December 2024

January 2024

10-12 12th Night Coronation Eplahaimr Ireland 🏰
 - Corónt Nollaig na mBan
 🏰 = King present
 🏰 = Crown Prince present
 👑 = Queen present
 👑 = Crown Princess present